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(TL:VISA-445; 08-02-2002)

RECIPROCITY

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Visa	Fee	No. Applications	Validity
A-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
A-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
A-3 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
B-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
B-1/B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
C-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	6 MONTHS
C-1/D	N/A	N/A	N/A
C-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
C-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
D	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
E-1 [2]	NO TREATY	N/A	N/A
E-2 [2]	NO TREATY	N/A	N/A
F-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
F-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
G-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-3	NONE	ONE	60 MONTHS
G-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-5 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
H-1B	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
H-1C	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
H-2A	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
H-2B	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
H-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
H-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
I	\$20.00	MULTIPLE	6 MONTHS
J-1 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
J-2 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
K-1	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
K-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
L-1	\$20.00	MULTIPLE	6 MONTHS [3]
L-2	\$20.00	MULTIPLE	6 MONTHS [3]
M-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
M-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
N-8	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
N-9	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
NATO 1-7	N/A	N/A	N/A
O-1	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]

O-2	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
O-3	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
P-1	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
P-2	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
P-3	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
P-4	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS [3]
Q-1 [6]	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	15 MONTHS [3]
R-1	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
R-2	\$10.00	MULTIPLE	36 MONTHS
S-5 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-6 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-7 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
T-1 [9]	N/A	N/A	N/A
T-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-3	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-4	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
TD [5]	N/A	N/A	N/A
V-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
V-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]
V-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]

SPECIAL CLEARANCE AND ISSUANCE PROCEDURES

(TL:VISA-126; 10-05-1995)

Clearance requests should be accompanied by a completed Form OF-179.

DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS

Police Record

(TL:VISA-362; 03-06-2002)

Available in part. Persons born in countries that use the Casier Judiciaire (a combined prison and police record) may obtain a copy of this record from the competent authorities in their native country. In the case of countries other than Benin, this record should contain the police and prison records from Benin, if any. A native-born Beninese should apply to the Tribunal de Premiere Instance that has his or her birthplace within its jurisdiction. The document may be obtained by mail. Benin police clearances are valid only for three months from the date of issuance. No such limiting language will appear on the face of the Police Clearance document.

Prison Record

(TL:VISA-126; 10-05-1995)

Available in part. See "Police Record".

Military Record

(TL:VISA-180; 10-15-1998)

Available. Documents concerning military service are available from the Prefecture or Mayor's office at the person's place of birth.

Birth Certificate

(TL:VISA-180; 10-15-1998)

Available. The Mayor's office or Prefecture issues birth certificates at the place of birth.

Marriage Certificate

(TL:VISA-180; 10-15-1998)

Available. The marriage certificate is granted either at the applicant's place of birth or the place where the marriage was held, by the Mayor's office or Prefecture.

Certificate of Residence

(TL:VISA-180; 10-15-1998)

Available. A Certificate of Residence is available to residents or former residents from the Mayor's office or Subprefecture of the applicant's place of residence or former place of residence.

VISA ISSUANCE POST

(TL:VISA-126; 10-05-1995)

Cotonou (E) All Categories

GEOGRAPHIC AREA SERVICED

(TL:VISA-126; 10-05-1995)

All of Benin.